

AMENDMENTS

In the Specification

Replace Paragraph 1, on page 1, with the following amended paragraph:

This divisional application claims priority from parent Application Serial No. 09/987,570, filed November 15, 2001, which claims priority from Provisional Application Serial No. 60/276,765, filed March 16, 2001, entitled "Overcoat Design and Manufacturing Method for Magnetic Recording Media," and Provisional Application Serial No. 60/279,359, filed March 27, 2001, entitled "Magnetic Recording Media with Dual-Layer Carbon Overcoat," the entire disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference.